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ISSUES RELATED TO PROGRAMS UNDER PROPOSED STATE BUDGET REALIGNMENT (RELATES TO S-1 OF FEBRUARY 22, 2011)

On February 15, 2011, the Board of Supervisors discussed the proposed State Budget Realignment impacting Health and Human Services and Public Safety (Agenda Item No. S-1). Supervisor Antonovich requested this office to report back at the February 22, 2011 Board meeting on the potential savings to the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) if the Department contracted out in-house programs right now, such as back-end case management services for family reunification, permanency and self-sufficiency.

DCFS has begun to identify all costs associated with back-end case management services for family reunification, permanency and self-sufficiency. Although the work is under way, additional time is needed to finalize the results of the cost analysis. We will provide the information to your Board no later than March 1, 2011.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know, or your staff may contact Kathy House, Assistant Chief Executive Officer at (213) 974-4530.

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